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BACKGROUND

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There have been references in broadcasts to coordination of Satellite civil aviation for instance... "the civil aviation conference of the People's Democracies... at which it was agreed to pool the revenues from air routes under joint exploitation."

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REQUIREMENTS

1. Does Aeroflot participate in the pooling of revenues on air routes exploited jointly with the European Satellite airlines i.e. LOT of Poland, CSA of Czechoslovakia?
2. What part does each Satellite airline play in the coordination of civil air services throughout the Sino-Soviet Bloc?
3. What measure of influence or control does Aeroflot exert in the planning for civil aviation operations throughout the Sino-Soviet Bloc?
4. What production plans has the USSR for the TU-104? For the Ukraina? For the TU-114?
5. Has the USSR any intentions relative to becoming a member of the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)? Is there any prospect of Aeroflot joining International Air Transport Association (IATA)?
6. Is there currency discrimination in favor of Bloc air travellers within the Sino-Soviet Bloc civil air network

DEGREE OF NEED

Routine.